

ALLIES

Are To Be Resisted
By CastroWho Rejects Ultimatum
OutrightVENEZUELAN LEGATION AT THE
PORT OF SPAIN CLOSED.

GERMANY EXPECTED TO REFUSE

Offer of Arbitration—The British and
Germans May Not Be Given a
Free Hand.

La Guayra, Dec. 13.—President Castro's preparations to resist the allied forces continue. Ammunition and dynamite are being carried away from the barracks to the interior. It looks as if the Venezuelans were preparing to abandon the town. It is reported that the heights between there and Caracas will be fortified and the roads guarded. The merchant ships arrived off the port yesterday but were prevented from entering the harbor by a British cruiser. Permission was given to land the mails.

ULTIMATUM REJECTED.

Berlin, Dec. 13.—It is officially announced that President Castro in his reply to the German ultimatum has rejected every point proposed.

VENEZUELAN LEGATION CLOSED.

Washington, Dec. 13.—Alvin Smith, United States consul at Port of Spain, Trinidad, cables the department of state that the Venezuelan legation at that place has been closed. The importance of the dispatch lies in the indication that Venezuela has broken off diplomatic relations with Great Britain.

GERMANY WILL REFUSE.

Paris, Dec. 13.—A Venezuelan diplomat, at present in Paris, told your correspondent today that he believes Germany is sure to refuse the offer of arbitration. He said: "Germany's arbitrary sinking of gunboats following the destruction of the Crete-a-Pierrot, has given her a prominence in South America, which she desires to increase. America has but to temporize for the present and allow Germany to commit herself thoroughly. Then an energetic protest will solve the problem."

MAY NOT GET FREE HAND.

Washington, Dec. 14.—It is unlikely that Germany and England will be given a free hand in Venezuela in the collection of their debts. The United States and France have claims against Venezuela and any settlement made with Great Britain or Germany must take these into account and to a certain extent provide for their payment. This country would not consent, nor particularly would France, to any plan which, for the benefit exclusively of the two other powers, should so tie up the revenue of Venezuela that the payment of their own would be indefinitely delayed. For these reasons less emphasis is being laid at the state department on the entire exclusion of any idea of further intervention.

HOSTILITIES

Appear Imminent—Situation at La
Guayra is Serious.

La Guayra, Dec. 13.—The situation here has just assumed a more serious phase and even hostilities appear imminent.

The British cruiser Charybdis, flying the flag of Commodore Montgomery, the German cruiser Vineta and the German training ship Storch have arrived in port and have taken positions in line of battle.

There has been great military activity in this port and all the preparations are indicative of a movement to resist the attack.

Ammunition and dynamite and other munitions of war are being placed in wagons and taken away in the direction of Caracas. A train has been used in connection with the removal of the ammunition. Powder, which was stored in the Lavigia and San Carlos forts

has been taken away.

There are rumors here that the Venezuelan government troops intend to abandon the town and fortify the heights in order to guard the roads leading to Caracas. Defensive arrangements are being made at strategic points in the mountains.

Upon the arrival of the merchant steamer of the Harrison Line and the Dutch mail steamer Prinz Willem IV, here yesterday the commander of the British cruiser Indefatigable went aboard them and advised them to remain out of port, as they could be protected then. The British commander added that he could not answer for what may take place at any moment in this port.

The mails were landed and the Captains of the merchantmen asked for lighters for the discharge of cargoes. This was refused by the custom house officials, who said:

"There is no reason why you should not enter this port the same as usual. There is nothing to be feared." This statement was regarded as strange in view of the military preparations in the port. All Venezuelans able to carry a rifle are presenting themselves for service.

A Dutch steamer has left Puerto Cabello on a special trip to Willemstad, Curacao, to take foreigners there.

TAKING REFUGE

On Foreign Vessels As About
to Be Bombarded.

Willemstad, Curacao, Dec. 11.—(Delayed)—Foreign residents of Puerto Cabello are taking refuge on board the German cruiser Vineta and the British cruiser Ariadne, and these vessels are threatening to bombard the port.

KAISER ANGRY

And But For this Country Would Make
Vigorous War.

Berlin, Dec. 13.—Smarta's indignation over Venezuela's latest affronts to the German flag and the refusal of that country to be terrified by a show of force, the Kaiser is earnestly considering whether these circumstances demand a declaration of war against the sandy little republic. Popular apathy on the Venezuelan question has given place to bitter resentment of the attacks on the German legation and the arrest of German civilians. This feeling has been aggravated by President Castro's appropriation of the Prussian war cry "God with us."

Public opinion would support enthusiastically the immediate bombardment of Caracas, La Guayra and Porto Cabello and the dispersal of Castro's troops.

Were the attitude of the American government, which is the absorbing question of the hour, eliminated there is little reason to doubt that Germany would not hesitate a moment to whip Venezuela into submission and inflict all the penalties conquerors are accustomed to ask.

As the result of fresh inquiries made regarding the reported sinking of Venezuelan vessels off La Guayra the correspondent is informed that the orders given to the German and British commanders were to capture the vessels before beginning the blockade. No orders were given to sink them. If, however, any vessel has been sunk it was a military measure necessary in carrying out the foregoing orders. No report has yet been received from Commodore Scherer, German commander. A report was received from Herr Von Pilgrim-Baltazzi, which is as follows:

"Four Venezuelan vessels captured. One of them disabled. Two German vessels, the Vineta and Panther, and one English, the Resolution (probably the Retribution) participated in the seizure."

The foreign office here refuses to believe the vessels were sunk.

The naval orders published the report the German schooling ship the Storch as sailing from Curacao for La Guayra.

SERIOUS CONFLICT.

Paris, Dec. 13.—A telephone message just received from Marseilles says that a serious conflict is in progress in the streets of Marseilles between Gendarmes and striking dockmen.

The fight started after 8,000 union dockers and sailors had met and voted to continue the strike.

Victoria crosses were won in South Africa by two old pupils of the United Service College, Westward Ho, Devonshire.

INSANE

A Mother Became
When HearingThat Her Children Had
Been Burned.THREE LITTLE TOTS BURNED TO
DEATH.

MOTHER NOW IN A HOSPITAL.

Fire in a New York Flat This Morning
Was Quickly Extinguished—The
Mother Was Absent.

New York, Dec. 13.—Three children are dead and their mother insane in the New York hospital as the result of the fire at 441 West 16th street this morning. The children were named: Gertrude Smith aged 4, Annie Smith aged 7, and Sadie Smith aged 2.

They were the children of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith, who occupied the fourth floor of a big tenement house, where 26 colored families lived. This morning the mother went out to collect laundry, leaving the three children locked in the bedroom of their flat. A short time afterward fire and smoke came pouring out of their flat. The blaze was soon put out.

After the fire was put out Mrs. Smith returned. When she learned of the death of her children, she went insane, beating her head against the sidewalk.

TOO LATE,

It Is Feared, is President Castro's
Plea for Arbitration.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 13.—From a thoroughly reliable source I have been informed that as the result of the conferences the United States Minister, Mr. Herbert Bowen, has convinced President Castro of the advisability of agreeing to arbitration for the settlement of the difficulties with Great Britain and Germany.

President Castro was intractable but Minister Bowen renewed the conferences with such vigor that he obtained the approval of the Venezuelan President to enter into negotiations through the State Department at Washington with the Courts of St. James and Berlin looking to such a peaceful issue.

There is hope that this solution is possible, the fear being that it may be too late owing to the acts of the allied Powers in treating Venezuela as a conquered territory.

In consequence of Minister Bowen's energetic and repeated efforts he has obtained the liberation of all the British and German subjects who were arrested on Tuesday. Mr. Bowen had several consultations with President Castro, and urged him to release the prisoners as a wise policy.

In order to increase the military President Castro has directed the enrollment of all men from 18 to 20 years old. He has also issued a decree releasing all political offenders, including the famous revolutionary leader, General Hernandez, and General Pietri, who has played a prominent part in revolutionary circles during the last few years.

These released political prisoners are expected to arrive here very soon from Maracaibo, where they have been imprisoned.

All confiscated properties, even those of General Matos and of the Guzman Blanco family recently seized, have been restored to their owners.

President Castro is seizing upon this opportunity to weld the factions of the republic and heal the wounds caused by civil strife. The President's steps are considered very politic, and are designed to entrench himself in power.

Mrs. Joseph Beall of South Fifth street, returned home from Columbus today. She was called there by the death of her nephew, Thomas Miller, who met his death in the sink factory, being caught and crushed in one of the machines.

Newark Elks.

The Newark Lodge of Elks have chartered a Buckeye Lake car for next Wednesday night and will go to Columbus to attend the performance of "The Chaperons" which plays a week there under the auspices of the Columbus Lodge of Elks. The Newark party has engaged a block of 80 seats.

INJURED MEN

REPORTED TO BE IMPROVING AT
COLUMBUS.

Fear That Mr. Hahn's Hands May Be Stiffened—Fireman Ellerman Improving at Home.

The condition of Engineer David Laughery and Train Dispatcher C. D. Hahn, who were injured in a wreck at Columbus Thursday afternoon, is considered favorable.

Both men are at the St. Francis hospital in Columbus. Mr. Laughery's injuries consist of a badly scalded face, while Mr. Hahn is scalded about the hands, his right leg below the knee and his back and shoulder are hurt.

The phase which the doctors fear in his case is that Mr. Hahn's hands may be stiffened from his injuries.

Fireman Ellerman is at home and is getting along nicely. His injuries consist of several cuts on the head and are in no way serious.

THIRD TIME

WEDDING DAY HAS BEEN SET BY
MISS COOPERWho Goes to Indiana to Marry Only to
Find Her Lover Dead in Old
Kentucky.

Coshocton, O., Dec. 13.—The course of true love never did run smooth, either in Ohio or Indiana, as an instance in which Coshocton is interested plainly shows. November 22 Miss Grace Cooper, a popular young lady of this city, left for Hammond, Ind., to be married Thanksgiving to James Hammaker, a former employee of the Coshocton rolling mill. Her friends had given her the customary celebrations, showers, etc., and everything was as roseate as a day in June. Now comes the word that the marriage has not yet taken place.

According to Mrs. Mary D. Cooper, the girl's mother, when seen this afternoon at her home on Eleventh street the marriage will take place in the coming holiday season. Miss Cooper went to Hammond, the arrangements having all been completed for a Thanksgiving wedding. Her astonishment may be imagined when on her arrival there she found the prospective groom missing. He had gone to Kentucky, where he is employed. Correspondence followed but the loving swain could not leave his business to get married, so a compromise was effected and now the date is set for the time of the year when there is peace on earth and men are disposed to evince good will.

Tradition is upset by the young lady's unfortunate romance. This is the third time the date has been set, and that charm that is supposed to be an inherent corollary, failed to hold true. Twice before, Miss Cooper was ready for the ceremony and the groom each time showed prowess as a prestidigitator. The fourth time will doubtless result in a matrimonial knot, tied perhaps in old Kentucky. In the meantime Miss Cooper remains in Hammond.

RUMOR

Of Mad Mullah's Death Is
Contradicted in This
Dispatch.

Barbora East Africa, Dec. 13.—The Mad Mullah has refused to cease his opposition to the British government; he is called an open port and allowed to import arms.

The foregoing dispatch contradicts the report sent from Aden last Tuesday that the Mad Mullah had been assassinated while praying. No confirmation or official denial of that report has been received.

ICE

Crushes Hundreds
of VesselsLoss Will Run Up Into
MillionsFOUR HUNDRED OTHER SHIPS IN
DANGER.

THE PENEBOCOT NOW ASHORE

A French Torpedo Boat Is Found Off
Cornish Coast Today With No
body Aboard.

Vienna, Dec. 13.—Three hundred vessels in the lower Danube have been crushed or sunk by the immense blocks of ice which fill the river. All the vessels were loaded with grain and the loss will mount up in the millions. Four hundred other vessels are in danger of suffering a similar fate. No loss of life has as yet been reported.

Northport, N. Y., Dec. 13.—The three-masted schooner Peneboscot is ashore on Eaton Neck. The captain and crew of eight men were taken off by life savers in the breeches buoy.

Davenport, Eng., Dec. 13.—The French Torpedo boat No. 108, was found off the Cornish coast today with nobody aboard. It is supposed she had been lost from her tow.

THE Y. M. C. A.

Interesting Figures Presented to the
Trustees at Meeting of Directors
Friday Night.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Y. M. C. A. Friday night the following summarized report of the work of the different departments was submitted. It shows that the association is alive and growing. An earnest effort is being put forth to get the 58 members necessary to make the 500 by January 1, 1903: Membership—November 1, after deducting October expirations, 367; November renewals, 41; November new members, 20; new members since Nov. 1, 96; present membership, Dec. 12, 442. Educational class—German 12; Stenography 5; Bookkeeping, 5; English, 6; Mechanical drawing, 7; Illustrating and Lettering, 7; total, 42. Average attendance at all classes, 32.

Physical Department—Senior classes, 8, total attendance 75; average, 9; intermediate classes 7; attendance 92; average 13; junior classes 11; total attendance 188; average 8; business men's classes 12; total attendance 129, average 11; general attendance: days 22; total attendance 188; average 8; baths 1149; average 46.

Religious Work—Men's meetings 10, average attendance 126; Bible Classes (two per Sunday), average 27; Workers Group, 10, average 9; Boys' Bible class, 7, average 10; Boys' Bible drill class, 9 (Saturday mornings), average 23; fellowship class, 10, average 19; Shop Bible class, 7, (every Tuesday), average 28.

Social—Popular entertainments, 11, average attendance 186; membership reception (Nov. 14), attendance 200.

COURT PHILIP.

Court Philip No. 603, I. O. F., has elected the following officers for the year:

Court Deputy, Lydia Rosel.
Court Physician, Dr. S. D. McClure.
Past Chief Ranger, Emma Spitzer.
Chief Ranger, Ida Moser.
Vice Chief Ranger, Jennie Solinger.
Recording Secretary, Myrtle Graham.
Financial Secretary, Lillie McFarland.
Treasurer, Ella Hull.
Orator, Sallie Kim.
Organist, Mamie Brubaker.
Senior Woodward, Hattie Hughes.
Junior Woodward, Mary Porterfield.
Senior Bradley, Fanny Holler.
Junior Beadle, Mary Moul.

There will be a special meeting December 15th in the Convention room. The Supreme Court Deputy will be present.

Tarriff Bill.

Berlin, Dec. 13.—The third reading of the tariff bill began in Reichstag today. Chancellor Von Buelow, speaking of the bill, said that the government would consent to the proposal of a majority of the parties that a certain part of the food duties, collected from now until 1910 and estimated at 330,000,000 marks should be used for the establishment of pensions for widows and orphans of workmen.

REGISTRATION

Special Counsel Bennett Says Com-
plete New Registration Necess-
sary Under New Code.

Columbus, Dec. 13.—From present indications every voter who wishes to cast his ballot at the ensuing spring election must first register. This has been the opinion of the city board of election for some time, and that opinion is now reinforced by the opinion of Smith Bennett, special counsel of the attorney general's office and one of the framers of the code. The argument is set up that it will be very difficult to properly locate the legal residence of the voter following a change in the ward lines of the city. A voter who may live within the present confines of the Seventh ward under the proposed redistricting will be a resident of the Third ward. Just how he can be registered from the old Seventh and made a voter thereof is the puzzle. Mr. Bennett has of the opinion that everybody will have to be registered again in the spring. In this connection, the subject is receiving attention from several election boards throughout the state, and the indications are that a conference of members of election boards will be held in this city some time in January to take steps looking to uniform action in the matter.

QUITE ILL

BECAME MEMBER OF KING DODO
COMPANYMiss Ruth Peebles Insisted Upon
Taking Her Part Though Suffer-
ing Intense Pain.

One of the actresses in the "King Dodo" company at the Auditorium Friday night, took her role under circumstances which, although unknown to the audience, were serious enough to her, to have kept anyone with less of the quality best described as "gameness," from appearing at all. Miss Ruth Peebles, the youngest woman who personated "Annette," the innkeeper's daughter, went on in the first act distressed in mind by unwelcome news from home, and also ill in body. Her physical indisposition became so pronounced at the Dr. W. H. Knauss was called, who found her suffering from gastralgia. The act was held for eight minutes, and Miss Peebles went on and took her part, every moment being in the most intense pain. In the last act she insisted upon going on with her part, but the manager absolutely forbade it, under the advice of the physician. Miss Peebles went to Columbus at noon today, much improved and appeared in the matinee this afternoon at the Great Southern.

King Dodo played to a big house last night and pleased the audience.

Officers Elected.

Laura Midgley lodge 144, L. A. to E. R. T. met Thursday afternoon and elected the following officers: Councilman, M. R. Taylor; mistress, Alice Stewart; vice, Phoebe Cummings; secretary, Mary Roberts; treasurer, Jessie Shultz; conductress, Lillian Gardner; chaplain, Bernice Beeks; warden, Luella Wilson; inner guard, Neil Backenstos; outer guard, Bertha McDonald; auditing board, Alice Stewart, Phoebe Cummings, and Mary Roberts.

The next meeting for installation will be on December 18, as the fourth Thursday falls on Christmas day.

Frank L. Ferguson has been confined to his home in Granville by illness since Friday.

SHOT

Himself In Fight-
ing BurglarsWellington Man Dying
From Wound.THIEVES ENTERED HIS HOME
LAST NIGHT.

HE REACHED FOR HIS WEAPON,

And in Some Unknown Way Shot Him-
self, But the Burglars Were
Frightened Off.

Wellington, O., Dec. 13.—Will Clodwick, of this place is today dying from a gunshot wound. While protecting his property from burglars last night he shot himself. Burglars attempted to enter his home. He reached for his gun and in some unknown way shot himself in the breast. The burglars were frightened away.

McKinley Memorial.

Cleveland, O., Dec. 13.—At a meeting of the trustees of the McKinley National Memorial association to be held some time during next month, an invitation will be extended to artists throughout the country to submit designs for the construction of the monument at Canton. At a meeting to be held several months later all designs submitted will be carefully considered by the trustees and a selection made.

Secretary Ritchie, of the memorial association, states that the subscription certificates will not be issued until the fund is completed. This, it is hoped, may soon be announced.

BILL

Fixing Compensation to Strike Com-
missioners Has Gone to Confer-
ence Committee.

Washington, Dec. 13.—The Senate has passed, with several amendments, the bill fixing the compensation of the anthracite coal strike commission and it now goes to conference. The sentiment of the Senate was strongly in favor of allowing the members of the commission who are not in the civil or military service of the government a lump sum of money for their service and after considerable debate, \$4,000 was settled upon as the proper sum, thus taking the matter out of the hands of the president, as the bill originally provided.

Several other amendments to the bill were adopted fixing the expenses of the commissioners at \$10 per day instead of \$15, and leaving the question of the amount of salary of the assistant recorders and employees of the commission. The name of the commission was changed to "anthracite coal strike arbitration."

An amendment offered by Mr. Daniel of Vermont, intended to prohibit officers in the civil or military branches of the government from serving on commissions or performing duties other than called for by law, provoked a lengthy discussion, and in response to the appeals of Mr. Allison and Mr. Hoar it was finally withdrawn.

NEXT!

Rodney—Nothing can be more dangerous to public safety than the automobile.

Sidney—Pooh! Just you wait until flying machines get to dropping on us!—Puck.

AS TO THE LAWYER.

"They say he puts in some steep bills."

"Ay! And he never lets a client strike out any of the items as irrelevant and immaterial."—Puck.

THE INFLUENCE OF INFANCY.

Benedict Bear—Yes, indeed! A baby of your own makes a wonderful difference.

Benedict Bear—I suppose so. Benedict Bear—Oh, yes! Why, since my little one arrived I've actually learned to hug gently.—Puck.

Ceiling and desk fans. No. 49 North Third street, with Sayres the plumber. Both 'phones. Residence, old phone.



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GARROLL'S STORE



We wish to thank our patrons for the immense business we have enjoyed from the first of January, 1902, up to the present time, having sold more goods than ever before during the same period.

In order to increase our business proportionately during the Holiday Season, we have purchased large quantities of goods which will make

**Sensible, Serviceable and
 Useful Holiday Presents.**

Choice goods in large assortment at low prices bring the people. Thousands of gift articles, splendid things to be picked up all over the store at reasonable prices, while higher up the range of variety is simply immense.

**Special Sale of the
 — CHRISTMAS FURS**

For fifteen Christmases we have been selling furs. We think that we have established in that time a reputation for reliability and fair dealing that gives considerable weight to what we say as to qualities and prices. Fur selling is our specialty. We have studied it in every detail, and now on this fifteenth Christmas in our business experience, we offer you fine furs at prices that are distinctly lower than usual.

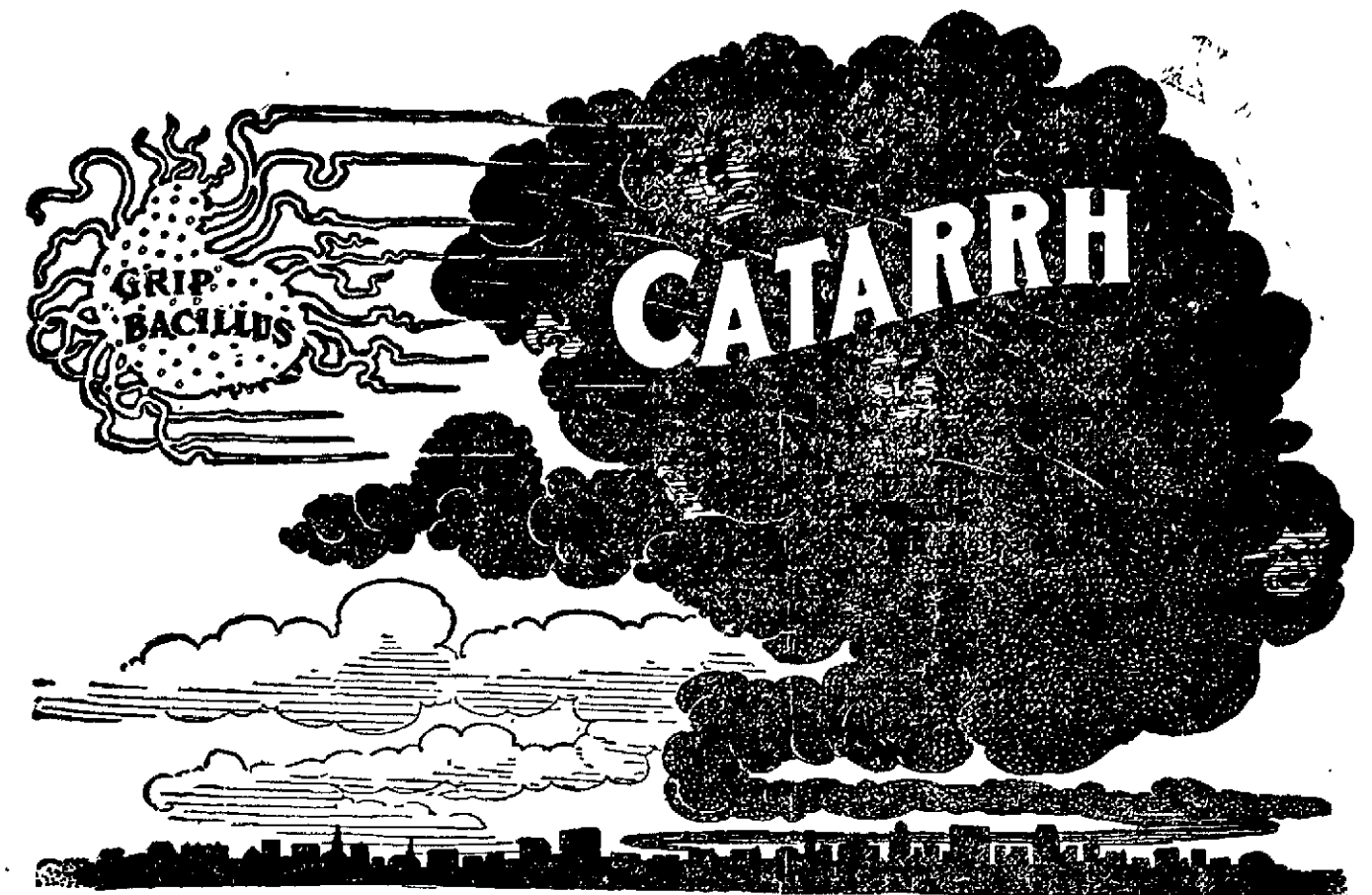
**Extraordinary values in Ladliess' Suits,
 Jackets, Furs and Waists.**

The most remarkable offer of women's outer wearing apparel that has been made this season. Elegant garments, every one of them embodying all that is newest in materials and designs, and the prices are right.



JOHN J. CARROLL

AFTER THE GRIP COMES CATARRH.



LIKE A TERRIBLE CYCLONE grip bacillus has passed over our country, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, leaving behind it a dark cloud of anguish and despair.

Catarrh follows grip as effect follows cause.

A multitude of catarrh victims will spring up in the trail of the awful epidemic of grip that has just passed over our fair country.

The hope to these people is Peruna.

Most people know this already.

Everyone who has had the least touch of grip, should not fail to take a course of treatment with Peruna.

Peruna eradicates every vestige of the disease and leaves the system in a normal condition.

Hon. Joseph B. Crowley, Congressman from Illinois, writes from the National Hotel, Washington, D. C., as follows:

"After giving Peruna a fair trial I can cheerfully recommend your remedy to anyone suffering with coughs, colds, la grippe and all catarrhal complaints."

Hon. George H. White, Congressman from North Carolina, writes:

"I am more than satisfied with Peruna, and find it to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family, and they all join me in recommending it as an excellent remedy."

Hon. J. P. Megrew, Superintendent U. S. Capital Police Force, of Washington, D. C., says:

"Having suffered from the grip, I was advised by a friend to use your Peruna."

I also used it for my catarrh, and I can now cheerfully recommend your remedy to anyone who is suffering from the grip and catarrh."

Miss Anna Russell, Past Worthy Counselor, Loyd Mystic Legion, 233 Endicott Building, St. Paul, Minn., writes:

"For years I have unfortunately found my system in a peculiarly receptive condition for catarrh when I was exposed in any way to inclement weather. At those times I would be severely afflicted with la grippe and its unpleasant consequences."

"Now for the past year and a half I have used Peruna in such cases and have found that it not only cures me quickly, but it also cleanses my blood and renders me less liable to catch cold. It is the finest preventative of colds that I know of and a very superior tonic."

Miss Emily Milburne, President of the Westside Young Woman's Club, No. 152 West Congress street, Chicago, Ill., writes of several members of the club of which she is president, who have had the grip and have been quickly restored to health by Peruna.

Mr. Nicolas F. Rossiter, of 463 Norwood avenue, Cleveland, O., had a severe attack of the Grip, was very sick and under the physician's care. He, like many others, passed the acute stage but did not receive strength. Peruna not only quickly restored him to his former health, but to much better health than he has had for years. He gives Peruna all the praise.

Hon. Max J. Forges, Alderman of the Eighth District, residing at 36 Rivington

street, New York, suffered with the Grip. two bottles of Peruna cured him. He also writes that he knows a large number of people who have been cured of the Grip by Peruna.

Hon. Charles W. Culkin, Alderman of the Seventh Assembly District of the Borough of Manhattan, residing at 45 Eighth avenue, New York, writes that he was laid up several days with the Grip. On the fifth day he was advised to try Peruna. He did so and found himself better within twenty-four hours. This remedy soon restored him to his usual vigorous health.

Mr. Martin Edwards, President of the County Clare Men's Benefit Society, 522 West Forty-Ninth street, New York, writes that he was cured of the Grip by a short course of treatment with Peruna.

Miss Blanche Dumont, President of the Athenia Club, 410 Aldrich avenue North, Camden Place, Minneapolis, Minn., says she was cured of the Grip. Nothing helped her until she tried Peruna. Felt better next day after beginning its use. Was able to be out of bed the third day. She also tells of others who were cured by Peruna.

La Grippe is epidemic catarrh. Peruna cures catarrh, hence Peruna is a specific for la grippe.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

IN CLUBDOM.

The Monday Talks met, this week with Mrs. M. M. Gillett. The following program was rendered: Leonardo de Vinci, Mrs. John Dean. "The Last Supper," Mrs. J. J. Carroll.

Some Public Libraries in the United States, Mrs. F. M. Townsend. Current Topic, Mr. and Mrs. Wu Ting Fang, Mrs. Gregory.

Mrs. Annie Black read a communication from Mrs. Hinkly of Portland, Maine, on the subject of Teaching Domestic Science in the Public Schools.

Mrs. E. M. Baugher was the hostess of the Progressive club on Wednesday afternoon. Quotations were given from Owen Meredith and the following program was carried out:

Local Color in Novel Writing, William Black. Richard D. Blackmore, "Lorna Doone," Mrs. Oscar Stevens.

Robert Louis Stevenson—Sketch—Mrs. E. M. Baugher. His Novels and Poetry, Mrs. Fred Jones.

Reading from Stevenson, Mrs. E. S. Miller. Critic, Mrs. John Franklin.

Mrs. C. F. Leggs, Mrs. J. H. McCahon, Mrs. Will Smith, Mrs. Thos. Conley and Miss Esther Veach were guests of the club. The club will meet next week with Miss Ethel Pittier.

The Research club was entertained this afternoon by Miss Helen Bower. Roll call was responded to with Yule Tide quotations and the following program was given:

Holiday Festivities in Germany, Miss Helen Scott. Oberammergau, Miss Nancy B. Vance.

Paper—Toy-making in Germany, Mrs. Martha Siningar. Miscellaneous—Mrs. F. M. Townsend.

Current History, Miss Amelia Owen.

Critic, Miss Emma O. Koos. The guests of the club were Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Beard, Mrs. Hoagland, Mrs. Appy, Mrs. Neighbor and Miss Forman.

The Investigators club met this week with Mrs. Emerson at her home on Hudson avenue. Roll call was responded to with quotations from "Bits of Satire," and the following excellent program was given:

England of the Restoration, Mrs. W. H. Davis.

Dryden—His Influence on Literature of the Time, Miss Kochendorfer. The England of Queen Anne as pictured in "Henry Esmond," Mrs. Crouch.

Oral Sketches—Pope, Mrs. Fulton. Swift, Mrs. Foster.

The "Spectator" and its Immortal Authors, Mrs. Sook.

"Master! Master! news, old news, and such news as you have never heard of."

Table Talk—News from England. Critic—Miss Thomas.

The club will meet next week with Mrs. Ferd Crane.

On Friday afternoon the yearly election of officers in the La to R. C., Newark Division No. 7, took place with the following result:

President, Mrs. W. C. Smith. Vice President, Mrs. M. H. Plinn. Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Mainor.

Senior Sister, Mrs. J. C. Richardson. Junior Sister, Mrs. W. S. Wharton. Guard, Mrs. J. W. Siler.

Executive committee, Mrs. John Idle, Mrs. J. W. Siler, Mrs. J. C. Richardson, Mrs. Idle, Chairman.

Delegate to the Grand Division in Pittsburg in May, Mrs. W. C. Smith; Mrs. J. H. Mainor, alternate.

The Mission Circle of the Second Presbyterian church held its regular monthly meeting on Monday evening in the church parlors. After the regular devotional exercises the following program was carried out:

Syria—The Mountaineers. Syria—Mrs. W. D. Fulton. Solo—Ethel Wood.

The Mountaineers—Miss Margery Collins. Leader, Florence Fulton. Nellie Jones.

At the close of the program, the usual refreshments were served.

The Review club was entertained this afternoon by Miss Cora B. Henry. After the preliminary exercises, the

following program was given:

Act II—"As You Like It," Mrs. Frank Hall.

Educational Institutions of Ohio, Miss Grace L. Jones.

Reading—"The Teacher's Dream," Miss Margaret Wallace.

Current Events, Mrs. Dr. Hatch.

The Thursday Evening Pedro club was entertained this week by Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pierson. The prizes were won by Mrs. E. H. Everett and Dr. Hatch. The guests prizes were awarded to Mrs. Wm. C. Gardner and Mr. Frank Bartholomew.

Mrs. Clara Timms was hostess of the Photocetean club this afternoon. Roll call was responded to with quotations from Tennyson and the following program was carried out:

Paper—Christian Conquest of England, Miss Ina Ingman.

Talk—Shakespeare's Early Contemporaries, Miss Emma Ankele.

Current Events, Miss Daisy Hughes. Critic, Mrs. Blanche Sayre.

The Coterie Club held its semi-monthly meeting at the pretty home of Mrs. E. J. Faust yesterday afternoon. Quotations were from Lowell and the following program was carried out:

Causes of the American Revolution, Mrs. S. D. McClure.

Principal Battles, Mrs. C. L. Gab-kee.

Reading, Mrs. W. W. [Alspach]. Current Events, Mrs. F. T. Hirst.

Critic, Mrs. Frank Agnew.

Choice refreshments were served by the hostess. The visitors were Mrs. O. Bourner, Mrs. Kinsey, Mrs. Cora Laird, Mrs. Walter Ashley. The club will hold its next meeting with Mrs. Henry Henthorne on January 9.

The Ladies' Home and Foreign Missionary Society of St. Paul's church met at the home of Mrs. Miller, Thursday afternoon. The weather being so unfavorable the attendance was not as large as usual. The meeting was opened by reading a chapter of the Bible and offering prayer by the president, Mrs. Schindel. Roll was then called after which a very interesting paper was read by Mrs. McKee. Subject, "Why Our Society Did Not Disband."

This was followed by a second reading by Mrs. Stasel on "Missionary Admonition." Dainty refreshments were served. The society will meet again the second Thursday in January.

The Kelso club met this week with Miss Daisy Unterhauer at her home on German street. The house was beautifully decorated with the club colors, purple and gold. Music and games were the amusements of the evening the prize being awarded to Mr. Ralph Ayers and Mr. Edward Strear. Miss Elizabeth Kennedy received the visitor's prize. The guests were invited to the dining room where refreshments were served. Those present were Misses May Ayers, Dolly and Minnie Tanner, Beatrice Robinson, Elizabeth Kennedy, Daisy and Flora Unterhauer and Mabel Hazlett of Brownsville, Messrs. Ralph Ayers, Edward Strear, Walter Glenn, Arthur Vanatta, and Edward Hazlett of Canton.

The Harmonious Club held their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Horn, Tuesday, December 9th. After the business of the meeting the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. Belle Mullinix, 53 Allen street, December 30th.

The Tuesday Afternoon Euchre club was entertained this week by Mrs. Robert Davidson. The prize for the most progressions was won by Miss Mary Sprague. Miss May Hals carried off the prize for lone hands, and the guest prize was awarded to Miss Romaine Stanberry.

A brilliant social event and one of the prettiest of the season was the handsome social by the Merry Go Round club recently organized, and held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dold on North Fourth street Tuesday evening and it was the first given for the winter. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Swartz, Mr. and Mrs. August Schaller, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffer, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schaller, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Sunderland, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Schaller, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frost, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schaller and Mesdames W. Smith and L. Gorious. It was a nice masquerade party and all were dressed in elegant

Christmas Umbrellas!



"THE LONDON CLUB Umbrellas ARE TRUMPS"

THE KING OF CLUBS.

They are the "up-to-date" article. They are made suitable for ladies or gentlemen. The handles are fine imported natural sticks. The frame is the best made. The cover is a good quality of silk. They sell from \$1 to \$5.

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One Ton Bulk Coffee . 10c lb
Better than package.

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This is actually the best Flour for the money ever offered in Newark.

If you are thinking of changing your trading place, be sure to come and see me. My stock is large and you will have better service than ever before. I now give Green Trading Stamps to cash customers.

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See me if you want city property or farms.

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SHOPPING AT OUR STORE WILL BE FOUND EASY.

Our store is filled with the newest creations in artistic china, fancy pieces, such as cake plates, chop plates, compots, salads, sweet trays, card trays, brush and comb trays, bon bons, &c., &c.

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The most artistic, well finished lamps, guaranteed, prices the lowest consistent with good goods. Cut glass the richest and most beautiful line in the city. An inspection will convince you.

Don't forget to see our beautiful window display and our line before buying.

F. Mohlenpah,
30 South Third Street.

costumes. Cards and fine vocal and instrumental music were features of the occasion. Charles Hoffer was the musical director and Edward Schaller his able assistant and Mrs. Hoffer appeared as Topsy. Mrs. Dold dispensed gracious hospitality, and it was a charming affair in every respect.

The Ladies Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church was most pleasantly entertained yesterday afternoon at two o'clock by Mrs. George Hall at her home on West Locust street. The following program was rendered:

Devotional exercises, President.

Business.

Mexican Work as Viewed by a Native, Mrs. Louis Kassta.

Work Among Mexicans in the U. S.

1879-1892, Mrs. Clara Williams. Korea, the Hermit Nation, Miss Maude Botts.

Three Sundays in Korea, Mrs. Alma Ashley.

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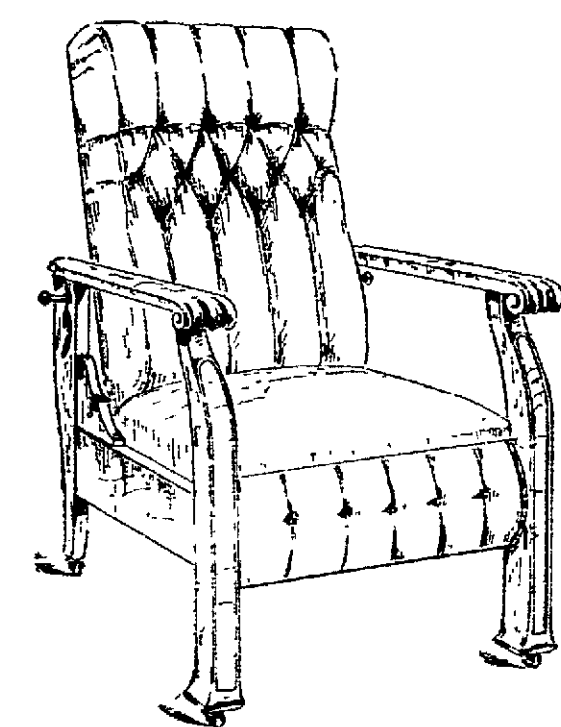
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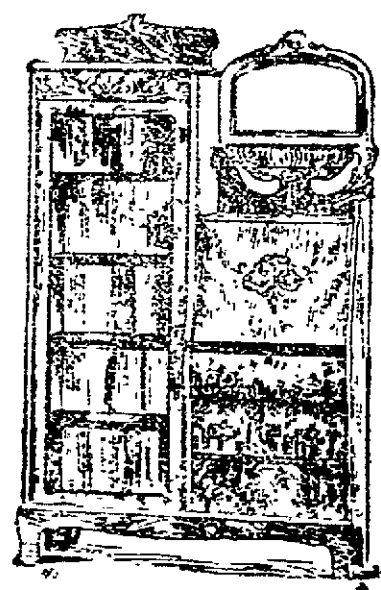
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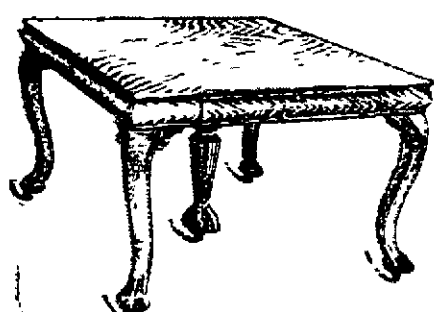
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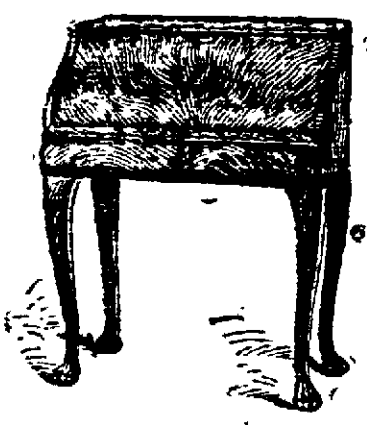
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Book Cases \$10.00 up.



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This is what Ayer's Hair Vigor does:
Restores color to gray hair, makes the hair grow, stops falling, cures dandruff.

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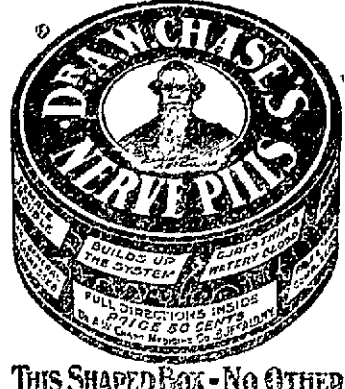
NERVES ALL UNSTRUNG

That describes the condition exactly. Children's noise, street sounds, little things that usually pass unnoticed annoy. A sudden sound, a call, you jump; a harsh word, a crying spell. The sleep is full of jerks and starts; trouble fills your dreams; you do not rest. Tired you go to bed, weary you rise. Its the unstrung nerves, weak, shattered, over sensitive, on edge. They need rest, quiet, strength, steadiness. Well-known people in your own city give you the cure in Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills—the most remarkably successful nerve medicine ever produced.

SOUTH SIXTH STREET.

Mrs. W. Bates of No. 143 South Sixth street, Newark, Ohio, says "Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills I know are excellent because they made my nerves steady—gave me strength and good restful sleep, three things I needed badly. The action was easy and rapid and more than satisfactory and I am right glad in the face of the fine results I obtained that C. T. Bricker of the City Drug Store called my attention to the medicine."

AN NERVE TONIC NEVER EQUALED



THIS SHAPED BOX—NO OTHER

SOUTH SECOND STREET.

Mr. J. F. Bullock of No. 138 Second street, Newark, Ohio, says: "I can honestly recommend Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills I got at Bricker's Drug Store to those who are nervous, debilitated and sleepless. In these conditions I found the medicine would quiet and steady the nerves, give general strength and restful sleep, consequently I like them."

Beware of imitations. Signature and portrait of Dr. A. W. Chase on each box of the genuine. For sale by dealers, 50c a box, or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., 257 Washington Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

All Ready for Christmas!

Our enlarged store is complete in every detail. All Holiday Goods are open and here for your inspection. The Early Shopper gets the choice of the MANY BARGAINS.



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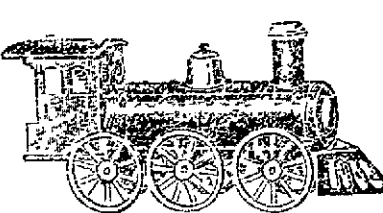
Our Dolls are always the finest, best and cheapest, as we make a business of it the year round—and no one can show and sell Dolls at the price we do. We import all Dolls direct—buy them as cheap as any jobber and retail them at prices other stores pay for them. BRING THE CHILDREN AND SEE THE DOLL SHOW.

SLEDS—25c. up.—SLEDS.

SEWING AND WORK BOXES. Fancy Boxes, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, Collars and Cuffs.

Brick-Brac, Art Pottery and Bohemian Glass Vases.

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Hook and Ladder Wagons, Hose Carts, Engines, Trains of Cars, Etc. Magic Lanterns.

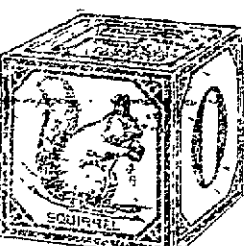
DOLLS, GO-CARTS and CARRIAGES.

Exact reproductions of the handsomest Carriages on the market. Strongly made of Rattan, lined in attractive manner and many have rubber tires. Prices 25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 and up.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

Doll Pianos..... 25c to \$1.00
Violins..... 25c to \$1.00
Trombones..... 25c, 50c and \$1.00
Drums..... 25c to \$1.00

BLOCKS



In all sizes and styles from 5c. per set up.

VELOCIPEDS.

Where is the boy who does not want to ride the Velocipede? We have them with or without rubber tires. They will stand all the knocks. We have them from \$1.50 to \$3.50. The little girls have not been forgotten. We have a nice line of Tricycles from \$1.75 up.



HORNS FOR THE BOYS AT ALL PRICES.

Carom, Archery and Croquet Boards.

Chautauqua Blackboards—Linen and Roll Top with pictures and A, B, C, 25c., 50c. and \$1.00.

MRS. J. L. MILLER,

Largest Toy Store in Newark.

East Side Square.

HEADQUARTERS FOR HOLIDAY SLIPPERS

Our line of Holiday Slippers are here in full bloom. They contain the greatest assortment of style and material. Our line of Ladies' Slippers consisting of Persian Velvet, Dark Green Velvet, Dark Red Velvet, fine Vici Kid Fur-trimmed Juliet, and a dozen other different styles that space will not permit us to mention. Why not make your husband happy by presenting him with a pair of our new slippers. We have just the style that he will like. Just the styles that are the most comfortable. And just the style that look the neatest on the foot. Our line of Men's Slippers of

Romeos, Everetts, Operas

and several other different styles can not be gotten elsewhere in the city. And we never forget the little ones. Our line of Children's Slippers are immense. They will adorn the household with beauty Christmas night. Come early to the most popular shoe store and buy your Christmas Slippers.

THE SAMPLE

WEST SIDE SQUARE. HENRY BECKMAN.

TELEPHONE NEWS

The Central Union Telephone company is introducing a special residence telephone service in Newark with the intention, first of increasing the number of homes connected with its system and second of demonstrating to people not familiar with the conveniences of telephone service that it is not a luxury, but a necessity.

The proposition is to place an instrument in every home, which can be used day or night to call any of the 1200 subscribers connected with this exchange, or to talk over the toll lines the same as any regular service. This telephone is made without bells, consequently you can only call and converse with subscribers whose names appear in our telephone directory. It enables you to leave home with no nervous strain or dread on account of sickness or accident there.

You can call the butcher, baker, grocer, druggist, lawyer and friends, but more than that it puts your home in instant communication with the police and fire departments and your physician.

Hundreds of homes in Lancaster, Mansfield, Sandusky and other points are connected, and in Zanesville it is safe to say that hardly a mechanic is without a special residence telephone. Price \$1 for six months service. If any time during the six months you desire to change to a better grade of service the \$1 you have paid will apply in full to the credit of the new telephone. 12-12-31

JAMES T. DANIELS, Manager.

LADIES' WATCHES.

OUR \$12.50 WATCH IS THE MOST DURABLE WATCH MADE FOR THE MONEY. A GOOD ASSORTMENT TO SELECT FROM AT STURDEVANT'S.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Items Picked Up Here and There Telling of Your Acquaintances Coming and Going.

Read "Caste" for amusement and art news. Price 5 cents. On sale at Stevens' News stand. mw&S 2wks

Wm. Taylor of Hanover was in Newark Saturday.

Thomas Hickey of Clay Lick was in Newark Saturday.

Fred Henry of Zanesville was in the city today.

J. A. Rihart of Somerset was in the city today.

J. C. Lealy of Utica was in the city Saturday.

James Brady of Columbus is here on business.

C. Todd of New Concord is visiting his brother, Ralph Todd.

J. J. Hill of Johnstown was in Newark Saturday.

C. P. Brown was called to Pittsburg last night by the serious illness of his daughter, Mrs. George Mearman.

Mrs. Charles Hindel and daughter, Miss Helen, have moved to Columbus, where Mr. Hindel is employed.

Mrs. H. L. Graves and Mrs. R. F. Wright of Alexandria spent Friday in the city.

Miss Alice Ashbrook and Miss Gertrude Harrison are spending the day in Columbus.

Miss Laura Scott of Byron, Ill., arrived here today to visit her brother, Milton R. Scott and wife.

Fred Place of Akron, who has been in the city several days in the interest of the Preferred Accident Insurance Company, returned home today.

Miss Jessie Sprague has returned to her home in Cleveland after a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. Garion of Columbus, who just returned from Cumberland, Md., was the guest of Mrs. Mary Devine on Indiana street Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Webb returned Friday night from Marion, O., where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Webb's sister, Mrs. J. A. McMurray, on Thursday.

Worshipful Master Ashbrook and a number of other Masons from the Johnstown lodge were in the city on Friday, and took charge of the funeral of Mr. Andrews, who was a member of the Johnstown lodge.

Ed C. Miller will leave tonight for Philadelphia, Washington, Baltimore and Hagerstown, Md. He will return next Tuesday with his aunts, Misses Rebecca and Eleanor Miller, who will spend the winter in Newark.

The Great Seal Drawing Contest.

Which closed yesterday at noon has created unusual interest as shown by the number of books returned.

Over 1200 books have been entered in the contest.

The work of assorting will be completed today and the books handed over to the judges on Monday.

Names of the prize winners will be published in The Advocate, Wednesday, December 24th.

STYRON, BEGGS & CO.

Special Sale

On Mandolins, Guitars, Banjos, Violins, Band Instruments, 13 off until January 1st, 1903. The largest stock of small goods in the central part of Ohio. The above can be found at A. L. Rawlings' Music Store, No. 4 North Park Place. 12-13-2t

More Room Provided.

The seating capacity of the First M. E. church has been taxed to the utmost the past few weeks at the evening services. During the past week the seating capacity has been improved, and about one hundred more persons can now be seated. A few more seats have been added in the main auditorium, and a different arrangement of gallery seatings has been made.

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"Good for Bad Teeth, Not Bad for Good Teeth."

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DINNER

To Be Served by King's Daughters to Children at Trinity Parish House December 27.

The three circles of King's Daughters, Whatsoever, Sunshine and Brightening, are arranging to serve a Christmas dinner at Trinity parish house on Saturday, December 27 to 150 or 200 poor children of the city.

The members of the King's Daughters who do much charitable work, are to be commended for their efforts and should be encouraged by the public. Contributions, however small, will be gratefully received by the following ladies: Mrs. George P. Webb, Miss Minnie Williams, Miss Helea Thomas, Miss Emma Lisey, or Mrs. W. D. Fulton. Subscriptions to this fund left at the Advocate office will be handed to the committee.

Invitations will be sent to deserving children who perhaps would not otherwise be remembered at Christmas time. Christmas means but little to hundreds of Newark children and it is to bring a ray of sunshine into the lives of these little ones that the King's Daughters have planned the dinner.

As announced elsewhere in this paper the Salvation army is also arranging to give a dinner Christmas day to a number of Newark children. Lend a helping hand to the King's Daughters and to the Salvation Army also. Both are deserving of hearty support.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

HAVING FULLY DECIDED TO LIVE A RETIRED LIFE AFTER THE FIRST OF THE YEAR, I HAVE DISPOSED OF ALL MY CHRISTMAS AND HOLIDAY GOODS TO THE H. G. DODDS' 5 AND 10 CENT STORE, AND A PEEP AT THEIR WINDOW WILL CONVINCE EVERY GOOD CHILD THAT MY HEADQUARTERS IS THERE FOR THE PRESENT. SANTA CLAUS.

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The wise outlay of money is in a permanent home. There the family comes together daily after the stress and storm of life as to a refuge. The possession of a home, however humble, gives one a sense of permanency, of vested rights; awakens public spirit and patriotism and arouses emulation. It is a foundation on which to build, a point from which to advance. Every flower enhances the value of the home and endears it to the heart and memory, hallowed by a tender association, endeared by recollection.

See W. D. Fulton in regard to choice building locations. His terms will suit you. A nice new seven room house for sale. The West End is the place to locate. 11-14-425t-sw 4t

Denison University Glee and Mandolin Clubs at Taylor Hall tonight. 10 cents. dit

MUNSON & HAMLIN.

Vose Brothers, Bear, Blasius, Regent and others will afford you a nice line to select from. Cash or reasonable payment at Munson Music Co., 27 W. Main street.

CELEBRATED KNABE

At Munson Music Co., 27 W. Main.

Buy the Best for Xmas

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NEED NO COMMENT FROM US.

If you want the Best buy Huyler's

If you want something cheap or ordinary, the kind that ruins the teeth and upsets the stomach, don't buy Huyler's.

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Gentlemen—For two years I have been troubled with biliousness, caused by inactivity of the liver. I had dizzy spells at times, pains across my back, a bad taste in my mouth, loss of appetite and nervousness. One family physician prescribed some liver tablets which certainly did not help me in the least. I took Apollinaris and other mineral waters, but my complexion became more yellow and my general health worse. Reading one of your little booklets, I decided to give

Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin

a trial, and am so glad that I did. One bottle did more for me than \$10.00 worth of other remedies. I know at once I had the right remedy. My liver is now active, my complexion is in excellent health and spirits, thanks to your Syrup Pepsin. Yours truly, MRS. MARY O. HAHN, 8033 Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Hahn is one of the leaders of Chicago's social circles, and is only one of hundreds who have written us similar testimonials.

"Skin white and smooth"

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin assists nature in cleansing the system. It is put up in 80c and \$1.00 sizes.

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NEWS IN BRIEF.

Goodhair soap cures Eczema. Sprague, Optician, 16, W. Church st. Smith & Nixon Pianos at Rawlings. Read Advocate want ads on page 6 today.

FOR RENT—Room on Church street—just in the rear of W. C. Miller's furniture rooms. W. S. Weiant. 12-2t Give WHITE SWAN flour a trial. New phone 2 on 446. 10-15-df Mrs. Speer will hold her dance on Monday night, December 15 from 8 to 12 o'clock. 12-13-1v

TONIGHT—"At Valley Forge" will be tonight's bill at the Auditorium. BAD FALL—Judge Follett had the misfortune to fall Friday evening and injure one of his knees. A SON—Word has been received here that a boy came Friday to bless the family of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Prior Jr., at Zanesville Friday.

ELECTION POSTPONED—The A. O. H. at its meeting Friday night deferred the election of officers until the first regular meeting in the new year.

SLIPPED AND FELL—Mrs. George H. Boggs of Vandigham street while out in the back yard after supper on Friday night slipped, fell and sustained severe bruises and is under the care of a physician and nurse. FOR THE POOR—The Salvation Army will on Christmas day feed 250,000 people—a quarter of a million. Capt. Clifford is now arranging to give a turkey dinner to 100 or more children here Christmas day. When you are asked to contribute, do so willingly.

ARM BROKEN—Charles Gamberdinger, the 13 year old son of Richard Gamberdinger of Summit street, and a pupil at the South Third street school house, fell down Thursday just after the close of school for the day, and sustained a broken arm. His mother recently died and the young boy lives with his grandmother, Mrs. Gamberdinger on Railroad street where he was taken and the fracture adjusted by a surgeon.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kindness and assistance during the illness and death of our sister, Mrs. Rachel Heck. Also for the floral offerings. Mrs. Fred Seigle, of this city; Mrs. Strever of Circleville; Mrs. Gaa of St. Louis, and Mr. Rosa Smith of Ypsilanti, Mich.

The Pride of Heroes.

Many soldiers in the last war wrote to say that for Scratches, Bruises, Cuts, Wounds, Corns, Sore Feet and Stiff Joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for Burns, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions, and Piles. It cures or cures. Only 25c at Hall's drug store. 12-13-2t

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FOR RENT.

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For Rent—Office room on second floor on public square; all modern improvements. Inquire of W. S. Weiant. 11-29-dtf.
For Rent—20 acres suitable for dairy, inside city limits. House, 2 barns, running water. R. M. Davidson, 60 South Fifth street. 11-6-dtf.

FOR SALE.

For Sale—Household goods nearly new, cheap if sold soon. Inquire at 120 Ninth street. 12-13-3t*
For Sale—Peanut-John will sell his stand cheap. First come first served. Going out of business. 12-21-3t*
For Sale—Universal Dictionary of the English Language, 4 vols. W. E. Burton, 135 South Fifth street, or Advocate office.

For Sale or Trade for other property, a store room and dwelling, first class location on reasonable terms. Enquire of N. Frad. 12-13-3t*

Wanted—To LOAN MONEY \$10 to \$100. Interest reasonable payments weekly or monthly. Room 7 Avalon Flat, Chas. M. Hoover. 12-6-cadt

For Sale—Good fire and burglar proof safe, 26x31x45 outside measurement; good as new; cheap if sold at once. Call at Advocate office.

For Sale—New house of good design (built two years ago) several rooms good dry cellar, good water, barn on lot, in good neighborhood. House is now empty. For further particulars inquire of Mrs. H. Hollar, 138 Moull street, Newark, O. 11-23-dtf

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS.

Clairvoyant—Fortune telling, Mrs. St. Clair tells past, present and future, foretells events, works charms. No. 20 Granville street. 12-13-3t

Wanted—\$250 cash will buy half interest in a profitable business. Going south for winter. Address "Photographer," Newark Advocate. 12-31-3t

Lost—A ticket punch, near the street railway track. Finder will please return same to Conductor Robinson and receive reward. 12-3t

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If you want the best Warm Air Furnace, Spouting, Tin Slate and Iron Roofing, Steel Ceilings, Sheet Iron and Copper Work, Repairing, Workmanship and material call on

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All the ministers of the city are invited to meet at Y. M. C. A. parlors every Monday morning from 10 to 11 o'clock.

Baptist Church.

Morning subject, "Sowing and Reaping." Evening subject, "A Great Question and the Right Answer." Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Mission schools 2:30 p. m. Junior B. Y. P. U. 3 p. m. Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m. Teachers' meeting Monday night. A men's prayer meeting Wednesday night. There will be five district prayer meetings Wednesday night for women.

Salvation Army.

The meetings to be held in the Salvation Army hall on North Fourth st., tomorrow, (Sunday) are as follows: Holiness meeting at 10:30 a. m. Testimony meeting at 3 p. m. Salvation for all, 7:30 p. m. The weeknight meetings are starting at 7:30 standard, instead of 8:00 o'clock as heretofore. All are welcome. Capt. and Mrs. Clifford.

First Methodist.

Class meeting 8:30 a. m.; Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Theme for the morning hour, "The Broken Nest," evening, "The Gospel Epitomized." Epworth League 6 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday 7 p. m. The seating capacity of the church has been enlarged to accommodate one hundred more persons. Those who desire to worship with us will now find it more pleasant, and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Second Presbyterian.

Communion services tomorrow morning. A short sermon by Dr. Work of Granville will precede communion. Sunday school at 11:30 and prayer meeting at 7:15 Wednesday evening.

United Brethren.

Sabbath school at 9:30; preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Morning theme, "A Paralytic Healed." Evening theme, "Samuel; a Character Study." Juniors Sunday 2 p. m. Y. P. C. U. 6 p. m. Topic, "Our Fellowship." Psalm 133; I Cor 12:12-27. On next Sunday will occur our first quarterly meeting. Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday at 7 p. m. Topic, "Right Motive in Service." Math. 6:1-11; II Cor. 5:4. Teachers' meeting 8 to 9. We will have our Christmas exercises on Tuesday night before Christmas and will use "Tidings of Peace." Fuller announcements later.

Fourth Street Church of Christ.

Bible school at 9:30; let all be on time. Worship and sermon at 10:30. Regular service in evening at 7. Subject of morning sermon will be the one postponed from last Sunday. "What can I do, just now, right here in Newark, for Christ?" It will be a practical study in the methods of work of members. Let all be present. Evening subject will be "The King

Came—The Idol Lay Broken." Christian Endeavor 5:45 p. m., subject, "Our Fellowship." Mayme Bonar will lead. The Wednesday night prayer meeting will be led by Mr. McFarland with subject "Ministerial Relief." II Cor. 9:12. Strangers in the city will be welcomed to all these services. Everybody cordially invited to attend. Come and bring a friend.

Second Methodist.

Below is the program for Sunday's services at the Second Methodist church:

Morning Service, 10:30.

Organ Voluntary.
Apostles' Creed.
Invocation.
Anthem.
Old Testament Lesson.
Gloria.
New Testament Lesson.
Offering.
Announcements.
Sermon, "A New Trinity—The King, the Citizen and the vineyard."
Hymn and Benediction.
Evening Service, 7:00.

Organ Voluntary.
Hymn.
Te Deum Laudamus.
Invocation.
Anthem.
Scripture Lesson.
Offering.
Hymn.
Notices.
Sermon, "An Ancient Type of the Modern Man."
Doxology and Benediction.
Strangers and all persons not connected with other churches are specially invited to worship with us. We desire to welcome you in the "old church" as a preparation for entering the new.

Christian Union Chapel.

Preaching at 10 a. m. and at 7 p. m. Sunday school 2 p. m. Endeavor at 6 p. m. Prayer meeting and Bible Study at 7 p. m. Wednesday. A cordial invitation is extended to all. The seventh sermon in the morning series on the Christian life for next Sunday morning will be on "Repentance." The evening sermon lecture is on "Abraham, Father of the Faithful."

First Church of Christ Scientist.

Second floor of memorial hall. Services Sunday 10:30 a. m., subject, "Sacrament." Golden text, "Therefore let keep the feast, not with old leaven, neither with the leaven of malice and wickedness, but with the unleavened bread of sincerity and truth." I Corinthians 5:8. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Reading Room open Saturdays from 2 to 5 p. m. The public is cordially invited.

A. M. E. Church.

Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "What I Owe to Christ." Evening subject, "Christ Our High Priest." Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.; Miss Bessie Norman, superintendent; Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m.; mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30; the public is invited.

First Presbyterian.

Morning worship at 10; subject, "Looking Upward." Evening service at 7. Subject, "The Young Man's Joy." Sabbath school at 1:15. Junior Endeavor at 3. Endeavor prayer meeting at 6, subject, "Our Fellowship." Leader,

D. R. Kingery. Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7. A social will be given by the Endeavor society in the church parlors on Friday evening. Strangers are heartily welcomed by people and pastor.

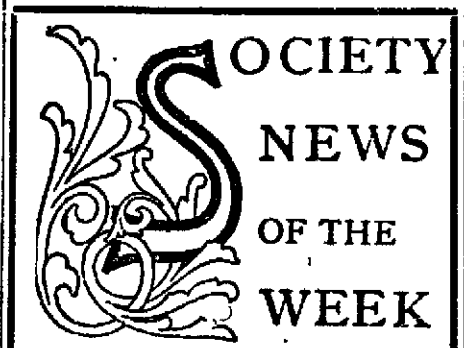
Plymouth Congregational.

Bible school 9:30; morning worship, 10:45, subject of the sermon, "Christ and Nocodemus." Young people's meeting 6 p. m. Evening worship 10:45, subject of the Sermon, "Christ 7, theme of the discourse, "A Business Venture That Lost Money." Both services conducted by the pastor. Good music by the chorus; at the evening service Miss Bertha M. Doomy will sing "The City Beautiful."

St. Paul's Lutheran.

Third Sunday in Advent. Bible schools, three departments, 9:20 a. m. Morning worship, 10:30 o'clock with sermon on the Advent, "The Contact of Christianity with the Barbarian and the Jew." West End Mission 2 p. m. Evening worship 7:15 o'clock with sermon on "The Conversion of Sergius Paulus." The sittings in St. Paul's always free. Everybody welcome.

St. Paul's Mission, Evangelical Lutheran, No. 71 Williams street, Revs. Schindel and Spaid, pastors. Bible schools, 2 p. m. Worship 3 p. m. with sermon by Pastor Schindel on the text "There is a natural body and there is a spiritual body." Come thou with us and we will do thee good.



Chief among the social events of the week was the large reception given on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Helen Franklin in honor of her son, Mr. John Franklin, and his bride, who have just returned from their honeymoon trip. Receiving with the hostess were Mrs. John Franklin, Miss Lillian Franklin, Mrs. John B. Gorby, and Miss Jessie Sprague. Mrs. Helen Franklin, and Mrs. Gorby were handsomely dressed in black. Mrs. John Franklin wore her beautiful wedding gown, and carried pink crysanthe-mums; Miss Lillian Franklin wore blue and carried yellow crysanthe-mums; Miss Sprague was gowned in gray; Miss Mary Haight and Miss Ruby Franklin presided very gracefully at the punch bowl. Assisting in the different rooms were Mrs. Truesdale, Mrs. Fred Seymour, Miss Myrtle Gorby, Miss Grace Gorby, Miss Atti Beecher, and Miss Josephine Veach.

The guests were served in the dining room by Miss Myrtle Miller, Miss Frances Priest, and Miss Bertha Latimer. Mrs. Franklin served dinner in the evening to her assistants and a few young men. At one table were seated Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin, Miss Josephine Veach, Miss Atti Beecher, Miss Myrtle Gorby, Miss Lillian Franklin, Miss Grace Gorby, Mr. Will Schroeder, Mr. Will Foos, Mr. Ned King, Mr. Ed. Miller and Dr. DeCrow. The table was beautifully decorated with yellow roses and place cards were handsome ribbons reaching from the center of the table to each place. On the end of each was painted a medalion head, except on the bride's ribbon was painted the figure of a bride, the work being done by Miss Ida Moore. There were also present Mr. Paul Franklin, Mr. Geo. Harrington, Mr. Verne Priest, and Mr. Clay Van Vorhis. After dinner the evening was spent in playing cards, the prizes being won by Miss Josephine Veach and Mr. Ed. Miller.

Mrs. D. F. Dowden entertained with a eucher party on Thursday evening in honor of her guest, Mrs. Sansbery of Cumberland, Md. The prizes were won by Mrs. Sansbery and Mr. McMullen. Those who enjoyed Mrs. Dowden's hospitality were, Mr. and Mrs. McMullen, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Miller, Judge Reese, Miss Emma Woodbridge, Mrs. Will Dowden, Mr. Howard Jones, and Mr. Charles Matthews.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Rugg entertained on Monday with a six o'clock dinner Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. Roe Emerson, Mrs. Hiram Warden, and Miss Lisie.

Rev. J. C. Schindel and family were entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner yesterday by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beckman, No. 24 North street.

As announced in this paper the other day, the Central Union Telephone

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The Peoples Racket Store,

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employees and friends tendered a surprise party to Mr. W. A. Slanker, the retiring manager, presenting him with a fine chair. After the presentation Mrs. Slanker entertained the party at cards. Miss Maurath received the ladies' prize, a handsome vase, and George P. Cogswell was awarded the gentlemen's prize. Hamlet's soliloquy was artistically rendered by Mr. Cogswell during the evening.

Bargains

in a few organs and pianos, but slightly used, at Rawlings' Music Store, No. 4 North Park Place. 12-13-2t

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LOCAL RAILWAY NOTES.

Panhandle Lineman J. J. Fallon of Coshocton, was here today repairing wires.

Panhandle engine N. 8075 has a new bell.

Charles Brown, the first section Panhandle foreman, received a message Friday to come to Pittsburg at once and he left on No. 20 last night.

Panhandle No. 21 had an extra coach with the foundlings from New York for St. Louis.

The popular B. & O. Conductor John Ellis took No. 167 out on the run today.

The well known B. & O. employe, Adam Boner, is able to be out and expects to resume duty in a few days.

Zach Cooglie, who had a leader in his left foot injured Monday while handling a 35-pound sledge and was laid up this week, is able to be about at his home.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Unusual interest is being manifested by local play goers in "At Valley Forge," which will be the attraction at the Auditorium tonight. The play is a companion piece to "Janice Meredith," having scored a most emphatic success from the time of its first production. The scenes are laid in the atmosphere of our old historic spots of Trenton and Valley Forge. The play possesses a tender heart story for its central theme, about which is wound a most intricate plot and a strong counter plot. The situations and interests are well wrought and especially well constructed as to retain the interest and carry its audience to a climax of tremendous enthusiasm. R. L. Forrest and company have given the production an unusually elaborate scenic equipment together with a cast that is in every way fitted to the requirements of the play. Mr. Frederick Montague and Miss Effie Hext will be seen in the feature roles.

Saved at Grave's Brink.

"I know I would have long ago have been in my grave," writes Mrs. S. H. Newsom of Decatur, Ala., "if it had not been for Electric Bitters. For three years I suffered untold agony from the worst forms of Indigestion. Waterbrash, Stomach and Bowel Dyspepsia. But this excellent medicine did me a world of good. Since using it I can eat heartily and have gained 25 pounds." For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles Electric Bitters are a positive, guaranteed cure. Only 50c at Hall's drug store. 12

Denison University Glee and Mandolin Clubs at Taylor Hall tonight. 10 cents. dit

Trades Council, Sunday.

Trades Council will hold its regular meeting Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. As there will be very important business, all delegates should be present. Notify your brother delegates of this meeting.

The Bakers' charter and supplies have arrived. All interested parties are invited to attend the meeting at Trades Council hall this (Saturday) evening and complete the organization.

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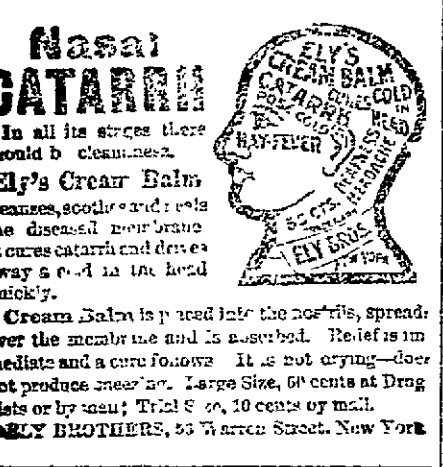


Mrs. F. Wright, of Oelwein, Iowa, is another one of the million women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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CODE AND ITS EFFECT ON NEWARK SCHOOL BOARD.

Attorney David M. Keller, Clerk of the Board of Education, Talks on the Subject.

Attorney David M. Keller, member of the Newark Board of Education from the Fourth ward, and Clerk of that body, was seen Saturday morning and asked his opinion as to the status of Boards of Education in Ohio and their members under the new municipal code, which will go into effect next Spring. He said:
"The new municipal code does in no respect affect the laws heretofore governing the management of the public schools, except in this, hereafter, the members of Boards of Education will be elected from the new wards, into which the cities will be divided under the provisions of the new code.
"The new code does not repeal any of the laws heretofore enacted for the management of the public schools.
"There is but one allusion made in the new code to Boards of Education and that is in section 116 which provides that the wards established at any time under the authority of the new code shall exist, for all local election and other purposes for which wards are recognized by law, including the election of members of boards of education in cities in which members are elected by wards."

Section 3898 of the Revised Statutes of Ohio as amended in volume 92, page 424, Ohio Laws, provides as follows: "that in any such city which has been or may be redistricted for election purposes, by whomsoever or howsoever, such redistricting may be made such redistricting shall not affect the terms of the members of the Board of Education, then in office, but each of said members shall serve the full term for which he was elected, and shall be the member in said Board for the remainder of the term for which he was elected, of the ward in which he resides after such redistricting is made, if such ward shall be a part or the whole of the ward in which he was elected."

"Said Section further provides that at the annual election for city officers, occurring next after such redistricting has been or may be had, a member shall be elected for each ward created by such redistricting, in which a member does not hold over, as above provided. The members chosen at such elections from wards entitled to elect members for a term of two years, shall serve for such period, and until their successors, who shall also be elected for a similar term, are elected and qualified. Members chosen at such election, from wards not entitled at such election to choose members for a term of two years, shall serve for one year, at the expiration of which term a successor shall be elected for each of said members, to serve for a period of two years, and until his successor, who shall be elected for a term of two years, shall be elected and qualified. Any ward which, but for the holding over of a member as above provided, would elect a member at the annual election for city officers, occurring next after the redistricting of such city, for a term of two years, shall at the expiration of the term of such holding over member, elect a member for the term of one year, but the successor of any member so elected for one year, shall each be chosen for a term of two years and until his successor is elected and qualified.

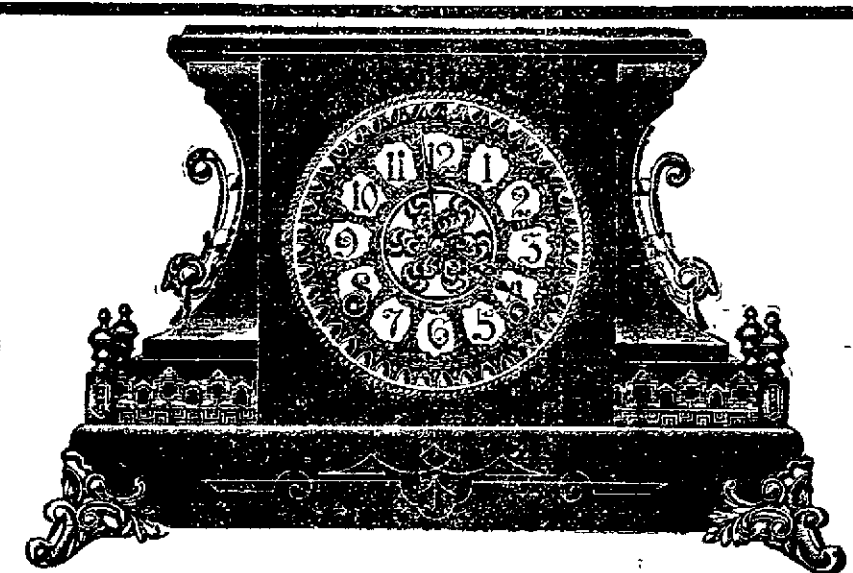
"The effect of dividing the city of Newark into four wards, as proposed by ordinance now pending in council, will be that in the new first ward there being no present member of the Board who will hold over, a new member will have to be elected at the coming April election, both Dr. Beatty of the old First, and Mr. Henderson of the old Second, retiring by reason of the expiration of their terms next spring.
"Mr. John S. Fulton, of the old Seventh, retires by reason of the expiration of his term of office next spring. This will leave the present member, Mr. Haight to represent the new Third for a period of one year. This will leave Mr. Hoover and Mr. Keckley, whose terms expire one year from next spring to represent the new Fourth ward, and Mr. Christian and Mr. Keller to represent the new Second ward for a period of one year from next spring. Thus the Board of Education of Newark will have six members for one year from next spring, unless otherwise provided in the meantime by the legislature. Under existing law Boards of Education in city districts of the first class having but one member from each ward, are authorized by a majority vote of the Board, to provide for the election of two members from each ward. Should the present Board so decide then there would be two members to be elected from the new first, and one member from the new Third ward at the coming April election.

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Big reduction all the way through in our Ladies' Waist Department.	Children's Fur Sets, Xmas sale price from 98c up to\$8.50	MEN'S UMBRELLAS, Suitable for presents, Xmas sale\$1 up to \$5.	Chataleine bags, Xmas sale price25c up to \$3.50	5000 handkerchiefs at25c
Mexican Hand Carved Chatelaines, Xmas sale98c up to \$3	Ladies Initial Handkerchiefs, Xmas sale at5c	PERFUMES, put up in fancy boxes, Xmas sale5, 10, 15 and 25c.	Ladies' Umbrellas, Xmas sale from50c up to \$3.98	Ladies fur collars from98c up to \$25
Extraordinary values in Kid Gloves. Xmas sale at59c and 75c	Extraordinary values in Golf Gloves at25 and 50c.	Children's Hoods, entire manufacturer's line this sale at Half price.	Dress Skirts big line at from.....\$2.50 up to \$25	Medallions for presents this sale25, 50, 75c and \$1 Actually worth double.

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"It has been suggested in certain quarters that since the decision of the Supreme court, holding all special legislation for the organization of government of cities, unconstitutional, that all the laws providing for the organization of the schools in the cities of the state, would come within the inhibition of the constitution for similar reasons and are void.
"But all such laws will remain in force until they are passed upon directly by the Supreme Court or repealed by the legislature, and the schools of the state will continue to be managed under said laws.
"No doubt the next session of legislature will revise and codify the school laws of the state, and provide for election of members in accordance with the provisions of the new code.

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The Final Ballot.
Columbus, O., Dec. 13.—It is said that the jury in the Steele-Miller conspiracy case stood as follows on the last ballot after being out over seven hours:
Guilty—Lester Bidwell, Madison; Fletcher C. Chambers, Jefferson; J. F. Henderson, Athens; David Hall, Logan; Isaac N. Lance, Ross; Henry Miller, Fairfield; John H. Rogers, Licking; J. B. Swaine, Morgan; Samuel E. Waxter, Washington.
Not Guilty—R. W. Lindsey, Guernsey; David Hall, Logan; John Patterson, Franklin; C. L. McCuller, Franklin.
The case will be retried before Judge Thompson the first of next week.
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Ethel—and still you refused him.
Gladys—Oh, yer! I think he will live long enough to propose again.—Pack.

SEVERAL
Postoffices in Vicinity of Newark are Raised to the Presidential Class.
Washington, Dec. 13.—The postoffice department has advanced 158 fourth class postmasters to the presidential class to take effect January 1, next. They embrace the following in Ohio: Brookville, Centerburg, Glendale, Johnston, Mantua Station, Middlefield, Mineral City, Pataskala, Quaker City, Seville, Strasburg, Sunbury, Utica, Waynesville and West Milton.
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"Remember, my daughter, that the meek shall inherit the earth."
"Yes! But some chesty individual will always smash the will!"

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